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The Appeal Brief filed on 2/7/2007 is compliant with the provisions of 37 CFR 41.37. Therefore, the application is being forwarded to the Board of Patent Appeals, and Interferences for a decision on the merits of this case.


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